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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTIMIZING DATA TRANSFERS BETWEEN
PROCESSES

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 6, 2006, please enter the following amendments for the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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